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I, VZ39006 Major John Kevin LLOYD of Army HQ Melbourne, make oath and say:

1. I am an officer of the Australian Military Forces.
2. Annexed hereto and marked "A" is a true copy of an affidavit sworn by 416284 - J/Lt Lyndon Lloyd McKenzie on 25 Mar 46 which I have in my custody in the course of my duties.
3. The original affidavit cannot be made available immediately as it is required for trials of minor war criminals.

/s/ J. K. LLOYD

Major

Sworn before me at Melbourne
this eighth day of
May 1946

/s/ S. Peach Capt

An Officer of the
Australian Military Forces

This is the copy affidavit referred to in the declaration of Mayor J. K. Lloyd dated the eighth day of May 1946

On this 25th day of March, One thousand nine hundred and forty-six F/Lt Lyndon Lloyd McKENZIE, No. 416284, of No. 2 Personnel Depot, R. A. A. F. BRADFORD PARK, in the State of New South Wales, makes oath and says as follows:-

1. I was taken prisoner at SOEMBRA on 27 Apr. 45 at approximately 0830 hours, together with eleven other RAAF personnel, members of the crew of a Liberator bomber commanded by S/Ldr J. A. Wawn. After capture S/Ldr WAWN, F/O SYKES and self were separated from the rest of the party, hand-cuffed, blindfolded, legs tied and hands tied behind our backs. So trussed we were placed on the floor of a truck and driven over very rough road for a period of eight hours. If we moved in any way we were struck with a rifle butt. Immediately after this we were again separated and Japanese moved round and kicked and beat us for one hour, then we were interrogated by several Japanese Officers and threatened with death if we were found not to tell the truth. I was then knocked into insensibility with a rubber truncheon and when I had almost come to taken outside, had my head layed on a block and a Japanese drew and raised his sword as though to execute me but he did not do so. By this time it was about 0300 hours next day and I was tied up tight and left that way for the rest of the night. I was unable at this stage to identify personally any of the Japanese concerned in this treatment. We were further illtreated at SOEMBRA by various frightening ruses calculated to make us believe we were to be executed, tortured and bayoneted.

2. We were taken to SOEMBRAWA, where we remained for three weeks, being well treated and then moved to BATAVIA, arriving there in the middle of June.

3. At CYCLE Camp, BATAVIA I was interrogated by a Japanese whom we knew as the "BASHER", a thick set man who prided himself as an exponent of ju-jitsu. Early in July the "BASHER" made me sit in a chair and severely bashed me with a wooden sword, finally knocking me off the chair onto concrete. The Japanese FCO who was with him, in his presence, then continued the bashing with a rubber slipper whilst I was on the ground. As a result of this my face became painfully swollen to such an extent that at first I was not recognized by my fellow P. W.

4. On another occasion the "BASHER" gave a personal exhibition of ju-jitsu, using me as the victim. I was not allowed to retaliate in any way and was thrown about heavily and suffered considerable pain.

5. The day after my beating by the "BASHER", which I have described, I saw F/lt OLDFIELD, who had been similarly treated with a rubber slipper. His face was very swollen and one eye particularly was flaming red and in shocking condition.

6. About this time also I remember seeing Sgts McINERNEY and MALONEY after they had been subjected to a treatment wherein they were made to lay their hands palm down on the table and repeatedly hit on each finger nail in succession. Their nails were flattened and broken and they were in much pain.

SWORN by the above named deponent
Lyndon Lloyd McKENZIE at Sydney
on the 25th day of March
One thousand nine hundred and
forty-six

BEFORE ME

Capt

R. R. B. HICKSON
MX 25579
An Officer of the Australian
Military Forces.

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英國飛行大尉「リンドン・ロイド・マツケンジ」口供書

抄 譯

本千九百四十六年三月二十五日ニ、在「ニュー・サウス・ウェールズ」州「ブラッドフィールド・パーク」、英國濠洲飛行隊第二人專部勤務四一六二八四號飛行大尉「リンドン・ロイド・マツケンジ」ハ宣誓ヲナシ次ノ如ク申シ述べマス。

一、一九四五年四月二十七日八時半頃私ハ飛行中隊長J.A.「ウォーソン」ニヨリ指揮サレタ「リベレーター」爆撃機ノ乗組員タル他ノ英國濠洲飛行隊員十名ト共ニ「メンバー」ニ於テ捕虜ニナリマシタ。捕トナリタル後、飛行少佐「ウォーソン」飛行中尉「サイクス」及私ハ手錠ヲ掛ケラレ目隠シヲサレ足ヲ縛ラレ且後手ニ縛ラレ一行ノ他ノ者カラ隔離サセラレマシタ。私共ハ斯ク縛リ付ケラレテ貨物自動車ノ床ノ上ニ置カレ非常ナ悪路ヲ八時間ノ間運バレマシタ。私共ハ少シデモ動クト銃ノ床尻デ押ラレマシタ。此ノ直グ後テ私共ハ又離サレテ一時間ノ間日本兵ハ私共ノ周圍ヲ歩キ廻リ蹴リ毆打ラシマシタ。ソレカラ私共ハ數人ノ日本將校カラ訊問ヲ受ケ若シ眞實ヲ云ハナカツタコトガ分レバ死刑ニナルノダト云ツテ嚇カサレマシタ。ソレカラ私ハ謊謨ノ棒デ毆ラレテ

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人事不省ニナリマシタ。ソシテ私が殆ンド正氣ズク
頃ニ外ニ連レ出サレ私ノ頭ヲ一ツノ臺ノ上ニ置イテ
一人ノ日本兵ガ自分ノ刀ヲ抜キ振り上ゲテ私ヲ切ル
カニ見エマシタガ結局ハシマセシテシタ。其ノ時ハ
次ノ日ノ朝ノ三時頃デアリマシタガ私ハシツカリト
縛リ付ケラレ其ノ夜ノ廻リノ間莫ノマヽニシテ置カ
レマシタ。此ノ段階ニ於テハ（コノ時ニハ）私ハ此
ノ取扱ニ關係シタ日本人ヲ誰ナ人トシテ自ラ確認ス
ルコトハ出来マセシテシタ。ソレカラ眞ニ私共ハ「
センバ」デ私共ガヤガテ死刑ニナリ拷問ニ掛ケラレ
或ハ銃剣デ突キ刺サレルコトニナツテルガ如ク私共
ニ思ハセル爲ノ色々ノ酷カシノ計略デ非道イ眼ニ會
ハサレマシタ。

二、三、四、五、六――――省略――――

右ハ一九四六年三月二十五日「シドニー」ニ於テ
上記宣誓征人「リンドン・ロイド・マツケンジ」
ニヨリ余即チ濠洲陸軍將校タル陸軍大尉 R.R.B.
「ヒックソン」N X 二五五七九ノ面前ニ於テ宣誓
セラレタルモノナリ。

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余、メルボーン之軍司令部附^{XXXX三九〇六}「ジョン・グレイ・ロイド」少佐、宣誓、
上陳述ス。

一、私、オーストラリア、陸軍、將校、アリマス。

二、ここに添付サレ「A」印、ツケタレ、一九四六年三月二十三日、四二

二、四「リンド・ロイド・マツケス」空軍大尉、ヨツテ宣誓サ
ル、口供書、眞正ナル寫本、アリマス。ソノ口供書、私、職務上私が
保管、シタレ、アリマス。

三、原又、口供書、二級戦争犯罪人、裁判、タメ、必要、デスカラ
直々ニ提供、セ、出来、マセ。

「J. ロイド」少佐 / 署名

「メルボーン」ニ於テ余、面前、テ宣誓、セリ。

本一九四六年五月、日。

「S. ジー・ケ」大尉 / 署名

「オーストラリア」陸軍、士官